

# City of Tuttle Newsletter

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CITY OF TUTTLE, OKLAHOMA

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## Upcoming City Events

- Tuesday, April 1: Election
- Tuesday, April 1: Parks and Recreation Board Meeting 7:00 PM at City Hall
- Saturday, April 5: OU Big Event Cleanup at Parks and Cemetery 10am - 2pm
- Monday, April 7: Planning Commission Meeting 6:30 PM at City Hall
- Monday, April 14: City Council Meeting 6:00 PM at City Hall
- Tuesday, April 15: Natural Gas Town Hall Meeting 11:30 am & 7:00 pm
- Saturday, April 19: Easter Egg Hunt
- Tree Limb Disposal
- Sunday, April 20: Easter
- Monday, April 21: Cemetery Board Committee Meeting 5:00 PM at City Hall
- Saturday, April 26, 2014: Electronic Recycling Event

## Recycling Drop-Off Sites

- Cub Scouts Trailer, Main Street— Aluminum Cans
- First Assembly of God— Aluminum Cans
- Snow Hill Baptist Church— Paper
- Tuttle Elementary— Paper
- Tuttle Middle School— Paper

## Bulk Trash Pickup: April 1st North of Hwy 37 & April 8th South of Hwy 37

Now taking applications for Tuttle's Yard of the Month!

Do you know of a local landscape that exemplifies community pride? Then enter it into the Yard of the Month Contest! Each month from April until October a local lawn will be chosen to represent Tuttle in this contest. All nominees will receive a sign to proudly display on the lawn that is nominated. Each month's winners will receive a Tuttle Yard of the Month sign to display, will be featured in the Tuttle Times, will receive an award and will be entered into the 2014 Yard of the Year Contest where the winner will be announced and awarded at a luncheon at the end of the year.

To nominate or find rules and deadlines email [nsapp@cityoftuttle.com](mailto:nsapp@cityoftuttle.com) or go to [www.cityoftuttle.com](http://www.cityoftuttle.com) for a nomination form!

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## Tuttle's First Annual INTERFAITH SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

Adult Co-Ed Local Church Teams! For more information go to [www.cityoftuttle.com](http://www.cityoftuttle.com) or the Parks and Recreation Department's Face Book page at [www.facebook.com/tuttleparksandrecreation](http://www.facebook.com/tuttleparksandrecreation)



The TUTTLE EGGSTRAVAGANZA will be held Saturday, April 19, 2014 at Schrock Park in Tuttle. The Hunt for over 10,000 eggs filled with candy and prizes will begin at 2:00 pm and will be broken into 3 age categories for children 0-10 years old. Volunteers to hide the eggs are still needed and anyone who would like to participate can arrive at Schrock Park at Noon.



## MUNICIPAL ELECTION April 1, 2014 for Mayor and Ward 3 City Council Position

### CAMPAIGN SIGNS

It is wonderful seeing many expressing their interest in the upcoming Mayoral election on April 1. Campaign signs are allowed, but please keep these basic rules in mind:

1. Signs should not be located on anyone's property without their permission;
2. Signs should not be removed from anyone's property without their permission;
3. Signs should be located at least 10 feet from the curb or edge of the pavement;
4. Signs should not be located within the "sight triangle" of any intersection; and
5. Signs should not be located on public property, including medians, city hall, and parks.

City crews will begin removing all signs (including illegal advertising signs) located on the highways and roads on Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for helping keep our community clean!

**GET READY TUTTLE!**

9am-4pm Saturday May 17, 2014 is the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Tuttle Ice Cream Festival.

The 2014 ICF will feature a HUGE Craft Show with vendors of all kinds, 2 Magic Shows, Musical Entertainment, Ice Cream Eating Contests, Desert Making Contests, Parade, Car Show, 5K Fun Run, Carnival Games, Water Slides, Bounce Houses, Rock Wall Climbing and of course the World's Best Ice Cream!

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For more Information Call 405-381-3775 email: nsapp@cityoftuttle.com or go to [www.cityoftuttle.com](http://www.cityoftuttle.com)

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Summer Movies In The Moonlight at Schrock Park for more information go to [www.cityoftuttle.com](http://www.cityoftuttle.com) or the Parks and Recreation Department's Face Book page at [www.facebook.com/tuttleparksandrecreation](http://www.facebook.com/tuttleparksandrecreation)

Tuttle Animal Shelter is requesting donations of quality dog food and cat food, kitty litter, blankets and towels. Please drop off at Police Department or Animal Shelter. Adoptable pets are posted on the City of Tuttle new Animal Shelter face book page. Call Animal Control 381-8565 to adopt from the shelter or report a stray animal.



Please Observe the Rules and Regulations of Fairview Cemetery - City cleanup preparing for Memorial Day

Fences and other structures. Section 16-103. No lot, part or parcel of such cemetery shall be enclosed by or shall there be placed thereon any coping, curbing, fencing or hedging or other obstructions or structures excepting monuments and grave markers; and the City, acting by and through the Board of Trustees reserves and retains the right to tear down and remove from such cemetery anything placed on said burial lot or space in violation of this regulation.

Trees and other plants Section 16-104. No trees, shrubs, vines or plants shall be planted in said Cemetery except in such a way as to conform to the general plan of the City in the beautification of said Cemetery; prior written approval must be obtained from the City Clerk before any such shrubs, vines or plants or trees are placed in the cemetery by any person. In the event the City, or any of its duly authorized agents, grants authority to any person to plant trees, shrubs, vines or plants on any of the said lots, the city specifically reserves the right to prune, cut back or remove any such trees, shrubs, vines or plants which may be deemed necessary in the sole discretion of the City, or its agents or employees, and neither the City nor its agents or employees shall be liable for any exercise of such discretion.

Funeral designs and floral pieces Section 16-106. The City and Board of Trustees reserves and retains the right and authority to remove from any and all graves all funeral designs and floral pieces when they become wilted and unsightly in the judgment of the sexton of the cemetery; In no case shall the sexton or other employees of the City attempt to locate any design or floral piece after it has been removed from the cemetery, and neither the City or any of its agent, servants or employees, including the Cemetery Board, shall be responsible for any such article so removed from such cemetery.

**SUPPORT TUTTLE SPECIAL OLYMPICS**

Save your Junk and Fill the Trucks! Please donate any reusable household items and clothing to the Tuttle Special Olympics Team! Your extra stuff turns into money for the team! Join them April 5th, in the former grocery store parking lot from 8am until 2:30pm, to fill the trucks.

**Advertising in the Newsletter**

As you can see, the City of Tuttle is now allowing advertising in the newsletter. Space is available on a first come first serve basis. The spaces are \$25.00 for a business card sized ad (3.5x1.5). To place your ad you can come by City Hall or email [wmarble@cityoftuttle.com](mailto:wmarble@cityoftuttle.com) Your ad needs to be a jpeg file.

Storm season is right around the corner!! NOW is the time to be making your preps:

- Review your plan. Be sure to ACT EARLY!
- Decide how you'll receive warning info.
- Get your shelter ready.
- Talk to your children.
- If you have pets or animals, make sure you have a plan for them too.

For more information about prepping and also our storm sirens, public tornado shelter, and other parts of our severe weather program, please visit [emttuttle.com](http://emttuttle.com).

**Name the Park Contest**

The City of Tuttle's Park and Recreation Department is pleased to announce the Name the Park Contest. This contest is for the naming of the 40 acre development that will feature the Tuttle soccer fields and walking trails. All entries will be considered by the Parks and Recreation Board and the top 5 finalist will be sent to the City Council who will then choose a winner. The winner will be present at the ground breaking ceremony and have the name they chose immortalized at Tuttle's newest park. Please contact Natasha Sapp at City Hall for information or entry forms. All entries must be received by Monday, May 5th, 2014.

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